

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
Muller-17

779
01/03/02

In Re Application Of: Peter Finmans and Christina Diblitz

Serial No.
09/509,400

Filing Date
June 19, 2000

Examiner

**Group Art Unit
1713**

Invention: Aluminium Acetoacetate Compounds, the Production and Use Thereof as Printing Ink Additives



TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 06/20/2001 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: 09/20/2001

until: 12/20/2001
Date

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	19 -	30 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$920.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$920.00

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